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Copies of the U.S. documents are not being provided. A copy of Reference BA is being submitted herewith. In addition, please note that the first document on the Supplementary European Search Report, i.e., Kapanidis Achillefs et al. document was previously submitted by way of an

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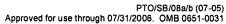
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